

FALL 2008

Services, Facilities & Programs Guide

Created By: Bethesda-Chevy Chase Regional Services Center

#### Bethesda Teen Programs, Facilities & Service Providers



- Free Teen Programming



- Volunteer Opportunity



- Fee to Participate



- Facility



- Park

# A Wider Circle



www.awidercircle.org

P: (301) 657-1010 F: (301) 654-1081

4808 Moorland Lane, Suite 802, Bethesda, MD 20814

This organization's mission is to help individuals and families lift themselves out of poverty. They do this through educational programming at schools, shelters, public housing residences and through the distribution of furniture and other home items to families living without basic needs. Volunteers are needed for each of their five programs and especially for their Neighbor-to-Neighbor Program. Volunteers are needed to assist on furniture pick-up teams, organize and manage the storage facility and help clients as they select items. (Volunteers under 16 are welcome with an adult.)

# Autism Society of America



www.autism-society.org

P: (301) 657-0881

7910 Woodmont Avenue, #300, Bethesda, MD 20814

Volunteers are needed to help with office work including assisting with mailings and data entry. (minimum age: 14)

# **Battery Lane Park**



www.montgomeryparks.org

4960 Battery Lane, Bethesda, MD 20815

Two acre park features a playground, multi-use field, basketball court and tennis court.

# Bethesda Cares, Inc.



www.bethesdacares.com

P: (301) 907-9244 F: (301) 652-1781

7728 Woodmont Avenue, Bethesda, MD 20814

Bethesda Cares is a community outreach program for the homeless. Volunteers are needed to serve lunch, organize canned food drives, clothing drives, teach art or computer skills and to assist in the office. (Minimum age: Younger children are welcome with adult supervision, middle school, high school and college age are welcome.)

### Bethesda-Chevy Chase High School



www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/schools/bcchs/

P: (240) 497-6300 F: (240) 497-6306

4301 East West Highway, Bethesda, MD 20814

There are three gymnasiums in Building D, an auditorium in Building E, a courtyard, cafeteria, and media center.

**Programs:** 

**Ultimate Boxing Boot Camp (ages 7-15)** 

Wildwood Summer Theater (ages 14-25): www.wst.org

After School Cyber Café

# Bethesda Chevy Chase Regional Services Center



http://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/bcc

P: (240) 777-8200 F: (240) 777-8211

4805 Edgemoor Lane, Bethesda, MD 20814

Facilities include four conference rooms.

# Bethesda Chevy Chase Rescue Squad, Inc.





http://www.bccrs.org/

P: (301) 657-5557 F: (301) 656-6523

5020 Battery Lane, Bethesda, MD 20814

(Gus) Anastasi Room is available if you would like to hold a meeting, reception or reunion. It can seat up to 320 guests with room for dancing. Must be 18+ for firefighter or paramedic training.

# **Bethesda Chevy Chase Rotary Club (Foundation)**



http://www.bccrotary.org

P: (301) 229-6105

The BCC Rotary club is a group of business people who serve the community through fundraising and volunteering. Bethesda's Turkey Chase run on Thanksgiving morning raises funds that help at-risk youth and their families through the YMCA's Bethesda Youth Services.

There are many opportunities to volunteer for these events.

(Minimum age: 12 if accompanied by a parent, 15 if on their own.)

# Bethesda Elementary School



http://www.montgomeryschoolsmd.org/schools/bethesdaes/

P: (301) 657-4979 F: (301) 657-4973

7600 Arlington Road, Bethesda, MD 20814

21 classrooms, gymnasium, all-purpose room (cafeteria & stage), reading initiative room, reading room, 3 portable classrooms, media center, and computer lab.

# **Bethesda Library**



http://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/libraries

P: (240) 777-0970

7400 Arlington Road, Bethesda, MD 20814

There is one meeting room and a quiet study room.

**Programs:** 

**Adult Book Discussions** 

**English Conversation Clubs** 

**Brain Benders (in collaboration with Maryland Science Center)** 

Montgomery County Agricultural Fair (visits the library w/live animals)

Bethesda Urban Partnership

www.bethesda.org

P: (301) 215-6660 F: (301) 215-6664

7700 Old Georgetown Road, Bethesda, MD 20814

**Programs:** 

Stars on the Avenue (at the corner of Norfolk & Auburn Avenues)

**Bethesda Outdoor Movie Series** 

Bethesda Art Walk

Caroline Freeland Urban Park



www.montgomeryparks.org

7200 Arlington Road, Bethesda, MD 20814

This one-acre park features a water fountain, pergola, open shelter, and a playground.

### Champions of Tomorrow



http://www.championsoftomorrow.com/

P: (202) 822-2093 F: (202) 521-9345

7915 Kentucky Avenue, Bethesda, MD 20814

Has helped develop and evolve the female athlete to new levels. Incorporates plyometrics and speed work with the latest nutritional information and endurance training to develop more complete, high performing athlete. Volunteer as a Project Helper to assist with registering new athletes, office work, or teaching youth. (Minimum age: 15).

# Chase Avenue Urban Park



www.montgomeryparks.org

4701 Chase Avenue, Bethesda, MD 20814

This four-tenths of an acre park features a playground and gazebo.

# **Cheltenham Urban Park**



www.montgomeryparks.org

4723 Cheltenham Drive, Bethesda, MD 20814

This one-third acre park offers a playground, picnic area, and gazebo.

# DeVry University \$



http://www.devry.edu/locations/campuses/loc\_bethesda.jsp

P: (301) 652-8477 F: (301) 652-8577

4550 Montgomery Avenue #100N, Bethesda, MD 20814

Passport2College Program:

Earn college credit at no cost while you're still in high school.

\*Must be a junior or senior in high school.

### **Elm Street Urban Park**



www.montgomeryparks.org

4600 Elm Street, Bethesda, MD 20815

This 2.1-acre park features a playground, picnic area and open shelter.

# **Enrichment Centers, Inc.**



http://www.enrichmentcenters.com/

P: (301) 229-8000

Main office: 6109 Broad Street, Bethesda, MD 20816

Downtown Bethesda Office: 8300 Old Georgetown Road, Bethesda, MD

After-School Programs:

**Empowered Learning: Organizational & Study Skills** 

**Beginning & Advanced Chess** 

Japanese Anime / Manga

Fun with Improv!

Test Prep & Speed Reading Skills

Etiquette 101

**Conflict Resolution & Communication Skills** 

Young Woman Power: Creative Healthy Body Image/Health & Sexuality

Relationships

Intro to Photography

Personal Finance

**Movement & Free Style Dance** 

Young Professionals

**Big Brothers/Big Sisters** 

**SAT Prep** 

# Imagination Stage 🤱





www.imaginationstage.org

P: (301) 961-6060

4908 Auburn Avenue, Bethesda, MD 20814

Offers a wide variety of theatre arts classes for ages 1-18. Their facilities can be rented out for special events. Students ages 15+ can earn community service hours by volunteering at events.

# **International Cancer Alliance for Research & Education**



www.icare.org P: (301) 654-7933

4853 Cordell Avenue, Suite 14, Bethesda, MD 20814

The International Cancer alliance for Research & Education (ICARE) was formed by a global network of cancer scientists to provide hope and strategic assistance to cancer patients through its publications, symposia, and website. From its headquarters in Bethesda, ICARE now seeks to connect local patients, doctors, and global academic researchers into effective clinical care research partnerships. The ICA is currently recruiting volunteers to help create, manage and market the ICARE Teams or chapters in each community. All talents, ages, and flexible time welcome.

# JSSA (Jewish Social Service Agency)

www.jssa.org

P: (301) 652-8459 F: (301) 652-8467

3 Bethesda Metro Center, Suite 325, Bethesda, MD 20852

Children, Teen and Family Services-assistance in helping your teen adjust to school, in relationships, or a new or challenging family situation. JSSA provides a emotional, psychological, physical or mental approach.

# Landon School



www.landon.net

P: (301) 320-3200 F: (301) 320-2787 6101 Wilson Lane, Bethesda, MD 20817

Summer Programs Only: Summer String Ensemble Summer Jazz Camp Summer Band Camp Summer School

### Leland Community Recreation Center



www.montgomerycountymd.gov/rectmpl.asp?url=/content/REC/recipix/Leland\_cen.asp P: (301) 652-2249

4301 Willow Lane, Chevy Chase, MD 20815

The facility has a full gymnasium, art room, social hall, conference room, lobby/lounge area and community room. The center offers various indoor programs: open gym basketball, volleyball, ping-pong, arts & crafts classes, county wide sports programs, family events, and holiday parties.

### **Little Falls Park**



www.montgomeryparks.org

Bethesda (From Fairfax Road, a few blocks south of Bradley Boulevard to Macarthur Boulevard at its southernmost point.)

Mostly undeveloped 160-acre park

# Lynbrook Local Park



www.montgomeryparks.org

8098 Newdale Road, Bethesda, MD 20814

Playground, tennis courts, ball fields, recreation facility, and picnic area.

# Mental Health Association of Montgomery County (MHA)



www.mhamc.org

P: (301) 424-0656 F: (301) 738-1030

7125 Wisconsin Avenue, Bethesda, MD

MHA promotes mental wellness and supports those with mental illness by sponsoring and implementing advocacy, education and community service programs. Volunteer opportunities are available in the Montgomery County Thrift Shop in Bethesda on Saturday mornings or afternoons. Age 16 and older.

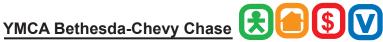
# Veteran's Park



www.montgomeryparks.org

Woodmont Avenue, Bethesda, MD 20814

This park features a small fountain and a few chairs and tables.



www.ymcadc.org P: (301) 530-3725

9401 Old Georgetown Road, Bethesda, MD 20814

**Programs:** 

**Youth Swim Classes Overnight Sleep** 

Teen Travel Camp-hiking, swimming, theme parks & more.

**Youth Specialty Class Saturday Programs** 

**Outdoor Adventure (grades 6-10)**